

Taking a Rest



WILLIAM Q. HARTLEY
T. Sgt. William Q. Hartley, son of Mr. and Mrs. William L. Hartley, has reported to the AAF Redistribution Station in Atlantic City after serving several months overseas in the European Theater.
A veteran of 35 missions, Sgt. Hartley served as an engineer, gunner on a B-17. He entered the service in November, 1942.

Now On Saipan



CARL R. WELLS
Lt. Wells, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl L. Wells, of 119 Essex Ave., Narberth, is now Assistant to the Chief of Surgical Service on Saipan.
A graduate of Lower Merion High School, Lt. Wells was in his Sophomore year at Yale University when he entered the service in June, 1943.

NEWS OF THE MEN AND WOMEN IN SERVICE

Lt. Col. Wharton B. Carroll, California from the South Pacific area—says he hopes to be home soon.

Lt. John Healy flew up from Atlanta last Saturday and spent the evening with his mother, Mrs. L. H. Healy, of 135 S. 17th St., Philadelphia.

Lt. Com. John H. Jefferies, Jr., of Arlington Rd., Penn Valley, called his wife on his arrival in June.

—Listening In—

We Always Thought It Was A Friendly Living Room...

Concerning this "evil" charge that former Magistrate Walzer held court in John J. Cabrey's living room.

Too many fine things have gone on in the Cabrey living room to let an attack on its generous and hospitable atmosphere go unanswered.

Our first introduction to the living room came some years ago when Narberth was battling for its existence as a borough. The merger scheme was underway, and Cabrey led the fight that defeated it. Nearly 500 persons tramped through the living room at that time to sign petitions against the merger. Most of Narberth's famous Fourth of July celebrations were planned in the same living room and plans for Narberth's playground, one of the largest recreation areas in this section, were outlined in the same place. Shortly after the beginning of the war it was from here that 500 Christmas boxes were assembled, packed and mailed to Narberth's men and women in the service.

We have known of others who went to the living room for business counsel and financial assistance. They received it.

Even Fred Walzer remembers the time when, as a magistrate, he went to the Cabrey living room to discuss the cases of two boys (juveniles) with whose family background Cabrey was familiar. Maybe that is where this ugly living room rumor started.

There are other living rooms in the borough where important business has been transacted, some of it borough business.

There is, for example, the living room of Robert Fellows Wood, chairman of the Council-for-Magistrate Committee, where important affairs have been discussed. It, too, is a comfortable and friendly living room.

Walzer never did and Walzer never will set up traffic court in Cabrey's living room. Likewise, we do not imagine Colelli has any intention of pounding his gavel on Wood's living room table.

There Is No Place For Any Kind of Intolerance

The Walzer-Colelli magistrate contest started off with all kinds of noble declarations. There would be no mud-slinging, boasted some. It would be all clean fun, predicted others.

Now, in its dying days, some of Colelli's backers are fearful that racial intolerance has entered the campaign. Most politicians are blind to their own intolerances even when it seems easy to point out the intolerances of others.

Racial intolerance isn't the only intolerance. There is religious and political intolerance. Neither of them has any place in a political campaign.

The Constitution gives a citizen the right to change his political affiliation at any time. Changing one's registration does not make a man a "political turncoat." It should no more cause a man to be held up to scorn than should the fact another man was born on foreign soil and is a naturalized citizen be used to deprecate him.

Can Women Ask The Embarrassing Questions?

Maybe the women of the township never get an opportunity to sit around Lower Merion's famous governing board, but once a year, at least, they take the privilege of asking township commissioners some embarrassing questions.

They do it through the Lower Merion Township League of Women Voters in the form of a questionnaire sent to all candidates. The questionnaire went to all candidates for commissioner and, in addition, to commissioners whose terms do not expire this year. Answers were received from all candidates except Lt. Col. E. A. Steubner, who is in the Army and a candidate in Gladwyne. Continuing commissioners, who failed to reply for some reason or the other were John Boardman of General Wayne, and Evan Jones, of West Bryn Mawr.

"Do you approve of dual office holding?" was one of the embarrassing questions. Embarrassing because two of the commissioners, W. Ivan Simpson of Merion, and George W. Brown of Bala also hold jobs in the Montgomery County government. It is interesting to note that Simpson replied that he did not favor dual office holding but Brown's answer was "Yes, when it does not conflict."

To the question, "Do you believe that an elective office-holder's near relatives should be given appointive offices?" (nepotism) the answer from all was in the negative with several minor qualifications. All of them answered "yes" to a question as to whether the efficiency of the police and fire departments should be maintained and increased.

Question No. 7 was a bit unusual, although all of commissioners or would-be commissioners took a gander and said "yes." It was: "Do you believe that a commissioner, after being duly elected, should keep in touch with the residents of his community by some such method as the town meeting, so that, if important issues arise, his judgment will reflect the feelings of his constituents?"

Decorations should go to Stuart Bell, candidate for commissioner in Gladwyne. Bell has already announced a program of action which calls for a town meeting of his district citizens preceding each monthly meeting of the commissioners.

"Any and all issues should be discussed at such meetings; everyone should have their say and the community town meeting should

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OUR TOWN Regulars Face Test Of Strength

Course In Typing Offered For Summer

A Summer course in typing will be given in the Lower Merion Senior High School beginning June 18.

The course will be in charge of Miss Helen A. Kulp. This is the fourth year the course has been offered. Adults as well as younger students will be admitted for two hours daily—one hour of practice and one hour instruction.

Wynnewood Tops War Bond Quota

L. M.-Narberth Bond Sales Reach \$3,122,900 To Date

Total sales of individual and corporate bonds in the Seventh War Loan Drive for Lower Merion and Narberth have reached \$3,122,900. It was announced by the War Bond committee.

This week Wynnewood moved into the "Met Quota-Passed Same" group with sales to date of \$173,325 and a quota of \$95,273. Other communities belonging to this group include Ardmore, Bryn Mawr, Haverford, Merion, Villanova and West Manayunk.

The total sale of bonds for Lower Merion-Narberth puts the district over its quota by \$154,900 and this figure is by no means final. District chairmen are urging collectors to put out every effort to reach residents of Lower Merion-Narberth, who have not yet had the opportunity of buying bonds in their respective neighborhoods.

A glance at the solicited number of subscriptions for bonds indicates that a large number of people of Lower Merion-Narberth still have their bond buying to do. To date the number of subscribers by districts is as follows: North Ardmore, 46; South Ardmore, 109; Bala-Cynwyd, 445; Gladwyne, 54; Haverford, 28; Merion, 425; Penn Valley, 173; Penn Lynne, 314; Rosemont, 21; Villanova, 18; Wynnewood, 183; West Manayunk, 54.

The following shows the amount of bonds sold in the communities to date:

District	Individuals	Corporate	Total
Ardmore	1,121	9,865	10,986
Bala-Cynwyd	2,131	3,252	5,383
Bryn Mawr	302,736	25,975	328,711
Gladwyne	160,722	61,300	222,022
Haverford	61,133	71,100	132,233
Merion	380,468	548,325	928,793
Narberth	141,127	191,025	332,152
Penn Valley	81,323	62,550	143,873
Penn Lynne	205,682	156,675	362,357
Rosemont	33,325	25,975	59,300
Villanova	97,944	96,225	194,169
Wynnewood	95,273	173,325	268,598
West Manayunk	5,835	6,275	12,110
L. M. Schools	50,456	9,375	59,831
Total	\$2,968,000	\$3,122,900	

Colonial Village Starts Swim Meets

List Events and Prizes On Program; Plan To Hold Weekly Dances

Regular weekly swimming meets will begin at the Colonial Village Swimming Club next Tuesday afternoon. Ribbon awards for the winning contestants will be given to the winner of each contest. Free-style, back stroke, breast stroke and diving events are on the program, which will begin at 2 P. M.

Trophies will be awarded at the end of the season to the individual scoring the most points in these weekly meetings and to the individual who shows the most improvement during the season. Free swimming instruction is given to members every weekday morning.

Contestants in the weekly meets are grouped according to age. The Junior class, including boys and girls over 12 years of age, while those over 12 enter senior competition. Dudley Foster, of Berwyn, was the 1944 swimming champion, and Connie Allhouse, of Colonial Village, was awarded the Greatest Improvement Trophy.

Last Saturday inaugurated the first of the weekly dances to be held at the club. Music was furnished by the Colonial Five, formerly known as Teddy Castle's Orchestra. Georgianna Veit was the soloist.

Just before becoming winner of the afternoon, Jenkins tied for 97 made by Barney Berlinger of first place with another score of Philadelphia, former University of Pennsylvania decathlon champion. In the final cast to break the tie, Jenkins scored 96 and Berlinger, 80.

The Lower Merion Club outing was originally scheduled to take place on the Nash Farm in Penn Valley but rain changed the picnic plans.

Winners of the picnic events and games were: First Accuracy, Class "A"—first place, Ernest Jenkins, Narberth, and Barney

Plans Near Completion For Gala 'Fourth' Celebration

Young and Old Will Have Opportunity To Take Part In Fun; Antique, Hobby, Baby and Animal Shows Scheduled

Plans are rapidly unfolding for what promises to be the best Fourth of July celebration yet to be held in Narberth.

Mrs. Eberhart Mueller, chairman of the women's division, of the committee, of which John J. Cabrey is general chairman, has announced a portion of the many attractions which will greet the celebrators, approximately three weeks from now.

Following the opening exercises at 9:50 A. M. on the Narberth playground, the first feature of the day will be a baby show for children from two to six years of age. Prizes will be awarded for the fattest, the curliest hair, the most serious and the most captivating smile.

A costume parade for children from six to 10 years will feature prizes for the most old fashioned, the most original and the funniest. For children from 10 to 15 years old prizes will be awarded for the prettiest, most modern and funniest costumes.

As an added attraction there will be a contest for the most freckles and for twins or triplets who show the most marked likeness. Prizes for this contest may be made by calling Narberth 2924 or 3917.

Ardmore Jr. High Lists Honor Roll

Three Girls Win Umbersagt Award for Scholastic Record

Sixty-four students of the Ardmore Junior High School were presented to the faculty by their home rooms as honor students for the last marking period of the school year.

The names were placed on the 76th Honor Roll of the school for high scholastic work, showing a general average of better than 90 percent. Twelve students received citations for their approaching Honor Roll standing.

Patricia Thornton, Helen Hankins and Jean Tomlinson received the Arthur A. Umbersagt Award for having been on the Scholastic Honor Roll for 12 straight quarters during her years at the school.

Janet Branaman received the Scholastic Monogram for having been on the scholastic Honor Roll 10 out of 12 quarters.

Students on the fourth quarter Honor Roll are: Benny Allen, Allen Ball, Ann Beatty, Charmaine Beauvais, Anne Bertas, Josephine Bradley, Janet Brennan, Brenda Brodie, Frances Burt, Carol Carey, Lorraine Colaiuta, William Collins, Richard Curtis, Audrey Da Costa, Carmella D'Agostino, Carmela Di Giovanni.

John Durant, Christopher Earnest, Deborah Ellis, Brinton Ferguson, Margaret Ferguson, Daniel Giangulio, Gerry Gillespie, Robert Glah, Joseph Greene, Jane Gulick, Rae Halberstadt, Helen Hankins, Ida Harshaw, Milton Jenkins, Marion Jones, Laura Leigh Kline.

John Koletas, Dorothy Lawley, Carolyn Laver, George Lemmon, Nancy Lewis, Nancy Leyburn, William Lillis, Jack Benedict, Patricia Mahout, James McGrath, Loreta McGraw, Elizabeth Meyer, Richard Mulford, Dick Okada, Jeanne Orcutt, Francis Nunan.

Florence Parker, Lydia Robinson, Doris Rose, Beverly Rager, Marcia Savill, Jean Schaefer, Margaret Smolens, Richard Stewart, Richard Stewart, Katherine Sweet, Patricia Thornton, Peter Toennies, Jean Tomlinson, Dolores Tronchetti, Kay Westover, Alden Williams, Juliet Wilson.

Red Cross Urgently Needs Paid Workers

George C. Thayer, director of Foreign and Domestic Field Service of the Southeastern Pennsylvania Chapter of the American Red Cross has announced new age limits for paid positions of staff assistants and recreational workers for duty both overseas and at home.

The age limits are 21 to 45 inclusive and applicants should have a good education and be in good health.

Berlinger, Philadelphia, second, Sam Miller, Philadelphia, senior, Class "B"; Edmund Barth, Upper Darby; Class "C", Robert Whartnaby, Upper Darby.

Fly Accuracy: first, Joseph Deery, Upper Darby; second, Robert Whartnaby, Upper Darby; third, Bob DuBois, Bala-Cynwyd.

Novelty Ball Game: men, Howell Dietrich; women, Mrs. George Whartnaby; boys, Robert Whartnaby.

The picnic supper and general arrangements were made by the following: C. H. A. Chain, E. C. Griswold, L. G. Weikert, Walter Miesien, Ernest Jenkins, J. A. Miller, Mrs. Censore and Mr. and Mrs. E. Boulay, all of Narberth.

Mrs. E. Boulay, all of Narberth. Mr. DuBois, Bala-Cynwyd, and Mrs. R. R. Daubert of Bala; Mrs. G. Bowen, Henry Drumm, Mr. and Mrs. E. Barth, Mr. and Mrs. George Whartnaby and Mr. and Mrs. Howell Dietrich of Narberth; George Gaul and Floyd Minor of Philadelphia.

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Walzer Thanks Voters For Support

On the eve of election I wish to state—win, lose or draw—I will never cease to be grateful to the hundreds of men and women who have worked and voted in my behalf.

It all confirms my opinion that I have been privileged to live in the grandest town in the world—a town that contains the best people the Lord ever made. I expect to spend the remainder of my days here and consider myself a fortunate fellow indeed in having the confidence of so many substantial and worthwhile Americans.

If I win I will give the best I have learned how to do it better the next time.

FRED WALZER.

Chemists Created New Compounds

Displays New DuPont Products At C. of C. Luncheon

Research men of the chemical industry have created 200,000 new compounds during the past quarter of a century. L. F. Livingston, manager of the E. I. du Pont de Nemours & Co. extension division, told members of the Main Line Chamber of Commerce on Wednesday.

He spoke at the luncheon meeting of the business group in the Haverford Court Hotel. William J. Lloyd, president, introduced the speaker. Three new members were approved at the meeting: Joseph M. Blatz Co., 51 E. Lancaster Ave., Ardmore; Atlantic Armstrong Service, 61 E. Lancaster Ave., Ardmore; David A. Fretz, Times Medical Building, Ardmore.

Livingston said that only a small portion of the new chemicals have had commercial possibilities, but those which have moved from the laboratory to the market have profoundly influenced our daily lives, our clothing, our homes, our transportation.

A number of the new chemical products which have come from DuPont laboratories were displayed by Livingston. One was a flameproofing chemical, with which a variety of military fabrics are treated.

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Volunteers Needed As Readers To Vets At Valley Forge

Volunteers are urgently needed at Valley Forge Hospital to read to blinded service men.

Miss Margaret Logan, vice chairman of the volunteer special service of the Southeastern Chapter of the American Red Cross has requested the Main Line Branch to procure as many readers as possible from the area.

The work will start following one day of instructions and demonstrations at the Hospital on June 22, from 10 until four o'clock, which all workers are required to attend. The readers will be scheduled daily except Sunday and the age limits for those whose voices qualify, have been set from 18 to 45 years.

The much sought after opportunity to give service at Valley Forge Hospital is one which up to the present has been available only to volunteers after a long period of training.

All applicants must be made at local Red Cross Branch Headquarters. In Ardmore, Mrs. Samuel Eldridge, chairman of Volunteer Placement Service is daily interviewing those interested in the work. In the Main Line Branch on Montgomery Ave.

Junior Work Shop To Open June 28

The Junior Red Cross Summer work shop for making surgical dressings will open June 28 under the direction of Mrs. Joseph A. McDewitt of Wynnewood.

The group will meet every Thursday from 10 until one o'clock. New members of the corps are being accepted. Adeline Beggall, Patsy Stevenson, Nancy Hunsicker, Margaret Stephens, Gail Tinney, Dorothy Groff, Ruth Arnold, Bernice Harris, Ann Sylvester, Liane Walter, Elaine Yetter, Peggy Taggart, Marjorie Reiter and Joan Eyre.

Last Minute Switch Puts Kirk In Running for \$900 Jury Job

Only one county-wide contest faces Republican voters in next Tuesday's Primary Election, and the Democrats have none.

Republicans must choose between David T. Kirk, the incumbent, and Thomas J. Hillwick, both of Lansdale, for nomination to the \$900 a year job of jury commissioner.

For the same office, the Democrats have only one candidate, Michael J. Mullen, of North Hills.

Each party has one candidate in the field for the office of prothonotary. The Republican is Earl B. Bechtel, of Pottstown, the Democrat is John J. Walsh.

The jury commissioner contest, despite the low salary which the post carries, has been the subject of considerable debate.

Until Tuesday, Hillwick was the officially endorsed candidate of the county Republican organization. Early in the campaign he was endorsed at a meeting of the county supervisors, and county committee men and women have been working in his behalf.

On Wednesday, however, each committee man and woman received a letter from Lloyd H. Wood, county chairman, an-

Challenge Attempt To Make Borough Organization Town

Fight Over Magistrate Post Overshadows Council Contest; Treasurer Unopposed; Pray Only Democrat to File

The Narberth Borough Regular Republican Organization, only half ripe on the stem, faces one of its most severe tests of strength in next Tuesday's primary.

Regular Republicans must not only win, they must win decisively to retain the political prestige they are claiming in the Borough and with Montgomery County party leaders at Norristown.

Narberth Candidates

For Borough Council (four to be elected)—Walter A. Fox, R.; Henry P. Carr, R.; Roland Fleer, R.; William S. Thompson, R.; Sterling Chain, R.; Kenneth L. M. Pray, D.

For Burgess—Richard L. Miller, R.

For School Director—Carl F. Weithman, J. L. McCreary.

For Justice of the Peace—Vincent Colelli, Fred Walzer, John H. Menges.

For Auditor—John A. Mowrer, Jr.

For Tax Collector—John R. Hall.

In addition, each precinct will elect a judge of election and two inspectors of election.

Narberth Council Holds Short Session

Routine Matters Are Taken Up At Regular Monthly Meeting

Only routine matters were taken up at the monthly meeting of the Narberth Borough Council on Monday night.

The council heard the report of the Board of Health which reported five cases of chicken pox, one case of scarlet fever, 27 cases of mumps and one case of pneumonia during the month of May.

Franklin C. Hutchinson, chairman of the Public Safety Committee, reported that the Narberth Fire Company responded to three fire alarms during the month.

He also reported six traffic violations, eight parking violations, two reckless driving charges and one case of property damage during the month.

Robert M. Cameron, chairman of the water, light and health committee, reported 11 garbage complaints and 10 street lights out during the month.

Louis A. Young, chairman of the Building Committee reported a new low in building permits issued with only one recorded for the month. For the same period nine inspections were made and one job was completed.

W. A. Fox, chairman of labor expenditure reported a total of \$165.70 for the month for 2051 working hours. Materials for repairing the recreation field amounted to \$25.62 while \$4.50 was spent for highway repair.

Surgical Dressing Contest Starts

In order to step up the production of a variety of new surgical dressings an 18-week contest among volunteers is now running at the Main Line Branch Surgical Dressings Department of the Red Cross.

The branch work room is open Monday through Friday from 10 until four o'clock and the canteen service provides lunch for the workers' convenience. Miss Laura M. Perry is chairman of the group.

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Where To Vote In Narberth Borough And Lower Merion

Narberth
Narberth, No. 1 Narberth Fire Company, Elm Hall, Forrest Ave.

Narberth, No. 2, Community Block, Windsor & Conway Aves.

Narberth, No. 3, Baptist Church of the Evangel, Elmwood Ave.

Lower Merion
Lower Merion, North Ardmore No. 1, Lower Merion Township Bldg., Lancaster Ave., Ardmore.

Lower Merion, North Ardmore No. 2, Old Wynnewood Station Bldg. of Penna. R. R., Wynnewood.

Lower Merion, South Ardmore No. 1 Dist., 44 Lancaster Ave., Ardmore.

Lower Merion, South Ardmore No. 2, 4 E. Athens Ave., Ardmore.

Lower Merion, South Ardmore No. 3, American Legion House, 125 Sutton Rd., Ardmore.

Lower Merion, South Ardmore No. 4, Penn Wynne, Overbrook Hills Fire House, S. W. Corner of Manoa & Rock Glen Rd.

Lower Merion, West Ardmore, Masonic Hall, S. W. Corner of Ardmore & Masonic or W. Athens Ave.

Lower Merion, Bala Dist., Bala Public School House, N. E. Corner of Union & Bala Ave.

Lower Merion, East Bryn Mawr, office of Hart & Wall, 825 Lancaster Ave., Bryn Mawr.

Lower Merion, West Bryn Mawr, Bryn Mawr Fire House, Lancaster & Merion Aves.

Lower Merion, Cynwyd Dist., Kirsch Chevrolet Co., 214 Bala Ave., Cynwyd.

Lower Merion, General Wayne, Nurseries of John Albrecht, Montgomery Ave. & Meeting House La., Narberth.

Lower Merion, Gladwyne Dist., Gladwyne Hall.

Lower Merion, Haverford Dist., Ramsey's Garage, 532-34 Lancaster Ave.

Lower Merion, Merion No. 1 Dist., Merion Way, Tribute House, Hazelhurst Ave., Merion.

Lower Merion, Merion No. 2 Dist., Merion Grammar School, Bowman Ave.

Lower Merion, Pencoed No. 1, Property of Glen Willow Ice & Coal Co., N. W. Side of Belmont Ave., near River Rd., W. Manayunk.

Lower Merion, Pencoed No. 2, Shov Room of John M. Gessler Sons, Belmont Ave. & Levering Mill Rd.

Lower Merion, Rosemont Dist., Derham Body Co., 1281 Lancaster Ave., Rosemont.

